

Appl. No.:
Amdt. Dated: September 23, 2003

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

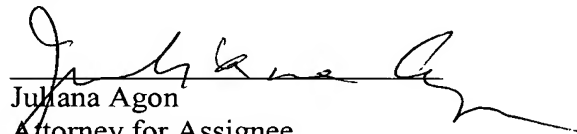
In view of the above amendments and the following remarks, favorable reconsideration of the outstanding office action is respectfully requested.

Applicant believes that a one (1) month extension of time is necessary to make this reply to Notice of Incomplete Reply timely. The "replacement Abstract" was not included in the Response to Missing Parts. Should applicant be in error, applicant respectfully requests that the Office grant such time extension pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) as necessary to make this Reply timely, and hereby authorizes the Office to charge any necessary fee or surcharge with respect to said time extension to the deposit account of the undersigned firm of attorneys, Deposit Account 03-3325.

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